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Is there a Feast or Famine in your Garden?

If you planned poorly this year, begin Now and plan well for next year -

It isn't enough to be a lover of flowers and plants today, you must learn to be a good grower as well.

Visit our Nursery, read our pamphlet and learn how to produce gorgeous azaleas, flowering shrubs, trees and evergreens from small rooted cuttings.

These plants would cost considerable if purchased in large sizes, but if you try to continue what we have started for you, you will be overjoyed at your results in two or three years' time. Not only will you save considerable expense, but you will derive a great deal of satisfaction in watching these little specimens grow and develop under your own tender care. Try growing our plants in a nursery bed for a year or two before planting permanently.

The group containing Azaleas are very easy to handle if planted in part shade, provided either by a building or a lath screen; this should be elevated 4' to 5' on stakes to provide free circulation of air underneath. Plant in a soil mixture containing 50% good light garden loam and 50% granulated peat moss or oak leaf mould. Water well after planting and mulch with leaf mould or peat moss. Do not cultivate but pick weeds out by pulling. Do not allow ground to get dry, but do not water too much or too often, there is a happy medium. These plants will all do well in part shade and also in sun. Cut off 75% of light for first 6 weeks and then 50%.

For further instructions purchase Hottel's Book on Shrubs or Trees. We can supply either at \$4.00 per book.

For \$5.00 you can select \$6.00 worth of plants from this list. No orders of less than \$2.00 accepted. No broken lots will be sold. Prices per 100 are net - no discount.

Owing to our careful packing with wet peat moss - we do not pay postage. Kindly add 10% to ALL orders for Postage. Allow one substitute per 10 items ordered.

Don't delay - plan to try some of these small plants at once. If you put it off - you'll forget it, sure as shootin'!

Azalea AMOENA - Semi double purplish red flowers in profusion. Small evergreen leaves, turning beautiful bronze in fall - 3-5" - 3 for 50 cents.

- " Alanwold Brick, vivid brick red flowers, semi evergreen, grows tall 3-5" 3 for 50c.
- " Cleopatra - large clear vivid pink flowers 2-2½" across 3-5" - 3 for 50 cents.
- " Hinodegeri - brilliant red flowers, evergreen - 3-5" 3 for 50 cents.
- " JAPONICA - mixed colors. Orange, yellow, red, etc. - 4-6" - 50c each.

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- Azalea-Kaempferi Hybrids - evergreen Orchid - 3-6" - 3 for 50 cents. Very large flowered, clear colors. An easy one to grow. Makes a handsome shrub.
- " KURUME HYBRIDS - Choice from cuttings - selected from clear pinks, reds and maroon shades - 3-5" - 3 for 50 cents.
- " Ledifolia Alba - evergreen 4-6" - 3 for 50 cents. White flowers. Beautiful foliage.
- " Othello, large maroon red flowers, semi evergreen leaves turn red in fall - 3-5" - 3 for 50 cents.
- Azalea - Poukanensis - Purple Lilac Deciduous, single, grows easily. Is A Native to Korea, is very hardy - flowers large and very profuse. 4-6" - 50c each.

Azalea - Schlippenbachi - Royal Azalea. White to Pink flowers - 2-4" across. 6" Plants - 50c each.

Transplants of all Azaleas listed, except Japonica, Poukanensis, Schlippenbachi and Vaseyi, at \$15.00 per 100. The last-named are \$30.00 per 100.

Blueberry - Cultivated, large edible fruits in quantity, brilliant red foliage in fall - 12-18" - 50c.

Buxus-Sempervirens, American Box - dark green leaves grows faster than English Box, 4-6" - 4 for 50 cents. \$10.00 per 100.

Buxus, Old English Boxwood - Fine green foliage, often found on old colonial estates - Old plants are very valuable - 3-4" - 3 for 50c; \$10.00 per 100.

Cytissus Scoparius - Scotch Broom, evergreen foliage, yellow flowers - 12-18" - 3 for 50c. A very unusual shrub - 6-8" - 1 for 50 cents.

Enkianthus Campanulata, pink shell like flowers, red stems and scarlet fall foliage - A very unusual shrub - 6-8" - 1 for 50 cents

Ilex. Opaca, American Holly, waxy green foliage, Red Berries - 4-6" - 3 for 50 cents - \$10.00 per 100 Net.

Leucothoe Catesbaei-Racemes of lily of the valley like flowers. Rich bronze foliage in winter, 6-8" - 2 for 50c; \$15.00 per 100 Net.

Pieris Japonica, the most beautiful broad-leaved evergreen. Beautiful flowers, buds form in September, open in March with white flowers. Foliage apple green, bronze green and olive green while growing - 3-6" - 3 for 50 cents - \$15.00 per 100 - 6-8" - 2 for 50 cents.

In winter time American gardens present a dismal, naked sight that emphasizes the general dreariness of the season. Little of the beauty of spring, summer or fall remains. Yet it is so easy to change this with a few evergreen vines, shrubs and trees and some bright berried shrubs. With an attractive evergreen background, winter seems shorter and much more pleasant and nothing is a more beautiful sight than to see them partly covered with snow.

EVERGREEN TREES AND SHRUBS. Plant in any good soil. All should be well shaded for 2 months after planting with a lath shade or planted in part shade of a building. Mulch with either peat moss or leaf mould. Most of the following plants will make handsome specimens in three to four years.

Abelia Grandiflora, semi evergreen with arbutus like flowers - 8-12" - 2 for 50 cents - Buxus Japonica - Jap box - large apple green leaves - 3-6" - 5 for 50 cents - very hardy 6-8" - 3 for 50 cents - \$10.00 per 100.

EUONYMUS PATENS - Evergreen leaves, Bittersweet-like berries in fall. 6-8" - 2 for 50c.

Hemlock Canadensis, Native Hemlock. The first choice of all native evergreen trees, suitable for specimens or Hedges - 5-8" - 3 for 50 cents. Will grow in shade. \$7.00 per 100 Net

Ilex Bullata - Leaves like Boxwood - Will grow in shade - Very rare. 4-6" Transplants - 3 for 50c; \$15.00 per 100 Net; 6-8" Transplants - \$20.00 per 100 Net.

(Japanese Holly) - small pointed glossy leaves, grows in shade, retains color in winter, makes marvelous hedge - 4-6" - 3 for 50 cents - \$15.00 per 100 Net.

Juniper-Depressa Plumosa (Andorra Juniper) pleasing purple in winter 6-8" - 2 for 50 cents

Nandina Domestica, Heavenly bamboo. Bamboo like foliage, bright red berries, good red leaves in the fall 6-8" - 2 for 50 cents.

Pachysandra Terminalis, 5 for 50 cents - \$5.00 per 100. Plant 6" apart.

The pines or spruces are most attractive evergreen trees which introduce a horizontal note into landscaping and give a wonderful variety of color and shapes. Both Firs and Spruces make majestic trees, are very symmetrical and keep a good color in winter.

PICEA EXCELSA - Norway Spruce, grows rapidly into a beautiful symmetrical tree. 4-7" - 3 for 50c.

PICEA PUNGENS - Colorado Blue Spruce - stiff blue needles, 3-6" - 3 for 50c.

Most Pines grow rapidly, some more rapidly than deciduous trees, making as much as 30 inches a year. Make good screens, backgrounds and the best possible windbreaks. With a good Pine border on the windward side, your home will seem 500 miles further south and you will be able to grow plants that are otherwise impossible. A windbreak of pines will make your home more comfortable and life more pleasant, by protecting it from the cold winds.

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PINUS MUGO - very dwarf, dark green needles - 3-4" - 3 for 50 cents.
 Pinus Resinosa - 5-10" - 5 for 50 cents - Norway Red Pine, very dense dark green -
 Scotch - very fast growing - blue green foliage - very hardy - good for screens -
 4-6" - 5 for 50 cents -
 Pyracantha Lalandi evergreen firethorn - 6-8" - 2 for 50 cents - orange red berries,
 Very showy.
 Taxus Cuspidata - Japanese Yew, spreading form. Most permanent hedges. The fine hedges in
 England are Yew hedges. A Yew hedge will add thousands to the value of an estate.
 Bears red drupes - 4-6" - 4 for 50 cents - \$9.00 per 100.
 " Hicks - Columnar in growth - Long dark green needles - 4-6" rooted cuttings -
 5 for 50 cents.
 TAXUS-HICKS - Dark green needles, upright habit of growth - 4-6" transplants - 3 for 50c.
 TAXUS INTERMEDIA - forms globe-shaped plant - 4-6", 3 for 50 cents.
 THUYA GLOBOSA - Globe Arbor Vitae - 6-8" - 2 for 50 cents.
 Thuya Occidentalis - American Arbor Vitae - 4-8" - 5 for 50 cents - \$7.50 per 100 Net.
 Viburnum - Ruscifolium - Leather leaf Viburnum - large white flowers, red berries and
 leaves - 6-8" long - 6-8" - 2 for 50 cents - 8-10" - 50 cents each.

DECIDUOUS FLOWERING TREES - plant both trees and shrubs in any good soil. Water
 well after planting. Words cannot describe the beauty of these showy trees. Shade well
 1st 2 months except crab apples.

ACER RUBRUM - native red maple red flowers in spring and scarlet foliage in fall grows
 fast, makes good shade tree. Grows fast - 12-18" - 3 for 50 cents - \$10.00 per 100 Net.
 ACER SACCHARUM - Sugar maple - 12-18" - 3 for 50 cents.

ASMINA TRILOBA - PAW PAW - Edible fruits, looks like a plum and tastes like a banana -
 6-12" - 2 for 50 cents.

APPLES, Flowering Crabs give a marvelous display of flowers, colored leaves and
 berries. We offer the following varieties, each one is really different - 75 cents each;
 12-18".

ARNOLD CRAB, soft pink flowers, reddish, drooping foliage.
 Hopa-large Rose pink flowers-Red fruit. Edible, good for jelly.
 Scheideckeri covered with semi-double pink flowers, red fruit.
 Elyi, red foliage in spring, purple flowers, large purple fruits.
 ATROSANGUINA, red flowers, yellow fruit.
 SILVER CRAB, red flowers under side of leaves, silver like.
 Birch White - Very white bark, contrasts well with evergreens - 12-18" - 3 for 50 cents
 - \$15.00 per 100 Net.
 Cercis Canadensis, Red Bud Tree - rosy pink pea like flowers - 12-18" - 3 for 50 cents.
 - \$6.00 per 100 Net.

CHESTNUT-CHINESE. Blight-proof - bears large edible nuts - 6-12" - 2 for 50 cents.
 Dogwoods, Single white, common - 12-18" - 25 cents, good fall foliage, red fruits
 relished by birds - \$12.00 per 100 Net.

Koelreuteria Paniculata (Golden Rain Tree) bright yellow flowers in July - Rich Golden -
 Brown - Fall foliage, easy to grow - 12-15" - 2 for 50 cents.

Liquidambar Styraciflua, sweet gum tree - Star shaped leaves which turn brilliant red in
 fall; also peculiar corky like fins on bark 12-15" - 3 for 50 cents.

MAGNOLIAS - SAUCER TYPES - All have very large showy flowers. Alba Superba, Pure White;
 Nigra, Dark Purple; Pink Alba Superba, Pink; Soulangea, Good Pink; Rustica Rubra,
 Reddish Purple; All 12-18" - \$1.00 each. These are all on their own roots.

NYSSA SYLVATICA - Sour gum - brilliant red leaves in fall - 12-18" - 3 for 50 cents.
 Peach red flowering dazzling color - 12-18" - 50 cents each. Also double white and pink.
 PHOTINIA VILLOSA (Christmas Berry) - Good fall color, bright orange red berries - 6-8"
 - 2 for 50 cents.

PLATANUS-OCCIDENTALIS; SYCAMORE TREE. Tall growing tree with creamy white bark,
 grows fast - 12-18" - 3 for 50 cents.

SHAD-BLOW - Small tree - White flowers before the Dogwood blooms. 12-18" - 2 for 50c.

SORBUS ACUPARIS - European mt. ash - orange berries - 8-12" - 2 for 50 cents.

Sorrel Tree, the most brilliant red fall foliage and a profusion of white flowers in grace-
 ful racemes-a most beautiful native tree-12-15" 3 for 50 cents.

Weeping Willow, yellow bark type, 12-18" - 2 for 50 cents - grows very rapidly.

FLOWERING SHRUBS

Albizzia the Silk Tree, pink pin cushion like flowers, hardy, Phila. - South - 6-9" - 2
 for 50 cents.

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- Almond, Flowering, pink rose like flowers - 8-9" - 2 for 50 cents - 9-12" - 50 cents.
- Althea Rosea seedlings, Rose of Sharon give a variety of colors from white to deepest red - 12-18" - 5 for 50 cents.
- ALTHEA AMPLIATSIMUS-Double red; ARDENS-Double violet; BOULE DE FEU, double red; JEANNE-D'ARC-Double White; PULCHERRIMUS-Double Pink; all 3 for 50 cents.
- BENZONIA AESTIVALIS - yellow flowers in April - scarlet fruits and yellow leaves in Fall - 12-19" - 3 for 50 cents.
- Callicarpa American - large quantities of bright violet fruits - 12-18" - 3 for 50 cents.
- Calycanthus Florida Sweet Shrub, Chocolate flowers, very sweet odor - 12-18" - 3 for 50c.
- Cercis Chinensis - Dwarf, reddish pea like flowers that almost cover bush, very showy, good clean foliage - 8-15" - 2 for 50 cents.
- COTONEASTER HORIZONTAL - Low spreading evergreen, red berries. 6-8" - 2 for 50c.
- Cydonia Japonica - Japanese flowering quince - Scarlet flowers in April - An old-fashioned shrub - 12-15" - 2 for 50 cents.
- Deutzia Gracilis, quantities of pure white flowers, borne on upright panicles - very compact plant - 12-15" - 3 for 50 cents, a lovely old fashioned shrub.
- Euonymus Alatus Compacta, corky bark, pink leaves and red fruits in fall - 8-12", 2 for 50c.
- Exochorda Grandi Flora, dazzling white pearl like flowers - 12-15" - 3 for 50 cents.
- FORSYTHIA-SPECTABILIS - Very floriferous - rich, golden yellow flowers - 12-15" 3 for 50 cents.
- " Spring Glory, Produces twice the number of flowers of any other Forsythia - 8-12" - 50 cents each.
- Kerria Japonica - orange yellow flowers in masses, light green stems - 12-18" - 2 for 50c.
- Kolkwitzia Amabelis - Pink flowers in June, similar to Weigelia, but more delicate - 10-12" - 2 for 50 cents.
- LILACS - FRENCH - EMIL GENTIL, double, cobalt blue; JAN VAN-TOL, single, large, white; Michael Buchner Double Lilac; Mme. Lemoine Double Creamy White; Mrs. Edward Harding Double Red; RHUM VON-HORSTENTEN, single, deep red; KATE HAVERMEYER, double, blue mauve. All French Lilacs - 6-10" - 50 cents each.
- " PERSIAN - bears large quantities showy purple flowers - 12-18" - 3 for 50 cents.
- LILAC-VILLOSA - pale pinkish flowers in June - very fragrant - 6-12" - 3 for 50 cents.
- LONICERA Maximoveizi Sachalin - New triple red Honeysuckle - 12-18" - 3 for 50 cents.
- Mock Orange Virginal - Large, semi-double fragrant flowers in spring and a few in fall - 8-12" - 2 for 50 cents.
- SPIREA PRUNIFOLIA - True Bridal Wreath, white button-like flowers in April. 12-18" - 50c each.
- SYMPHORICARPOS-CHENAUULT-Pink snowberry, leaves hairy, fruit pink - 12-18" - 3 for 50 cents.
- SYMPHORICARPOS-RACEMOSA-white snowberry, large white berries - 12-18" - 3 for 50 cents.
- SYMPLOCOS-PANICULATA - white fragrant flowers, showy blue berries - 8-12" - 2 for 50 cents. leathery foliage - 6-9" - 3 for 50 cents.
- Tamarix African, quantities of delicate pink flowers in April, feathery foliage - 12-18" - 3 for 50 cents.
- VIBURNUM AMERICANA - White flowers - red fruits in fall - 6-10" - 2 for 50 cents.
- VIBURNUM-DILATATUM - White flowers followed by large bunches of scarlet berries, that hang a long time - 8-12" - 2 for 50 cents.
- Viburnum Opulus - Old-Fashioned Snowball - Large white flowers in June - 8-12" 3 for 50 cents.
- WEIGELIA ROSEA - large pink honeysuckle like flowers in June - 12-18" - 3 for 50 cents.
- VITEX-MACROPHYLLA - lilac flowers in fall, deeply cut leaves - 12-15" - 2 for 50 cents.
- WEIGELIA ROSEA - large pink honeysuckle like flowers in June - 12-18" - 3 for 50 cents.

VINES

- Bignonia Radicans - showy, trumpet shaped flowers, scarlet and orange, July - 12-15" - 4 for 50 cents.
- Bittersweet Jap., quantities of orange red fruits on irregular branches - 12-15" - 5 for 50 cents.
- Ivy Baltic, better color, much hardier than English Ivy - 4-8" - 5 for 50 cents - \$6.00 per 100 Net.
- VINCA MINOR - creeping myrtle - blue flowers in spring - 5 for 50 cents - \$5.00 per 100 Net. Spreads rapidly, makes the best evergreen ground cover, grows in dense shade.
- Wistaria - purple - grows very rapidly - bears cluster of purple flowers - 9-12" - 2 for 50c.

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